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The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmittal herewith for filing is a:

- ☐ New Patent Application
- ☒ Continuation Application of Serial No. PCT/NZ00/00110
- ☒ Filed: July 23, 2000. A Section 201.11(a) MPEP filing.

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FOR: IMPROVEMENTS TO TRAILER BRAKING SYSTEMS

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 3 sheets of drawing(s): ☒ Formal ☒ Informal

☐ An Assignment of the invention to _____, the original to be returned to the undersigned attorneys.

☐ A certified copy of a _____. The right to priority is claimed pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 119.

- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ A Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment.

☐ Substitute Specification.

FEES:

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FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA
BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	5 -20	0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -3	0
<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT		

SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE
x	\$ 370.00
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LARGE ENTITY

RATE	FEE
x	\$
x	

ASSIGNMENT FEE:

\$ _____

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\$ 370.00

- ☒ Filing Fee to be calculated on the basis of the Preliminary Amendment submitted herewith.
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In re Application of:

APPLICATION BRANCH

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ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS

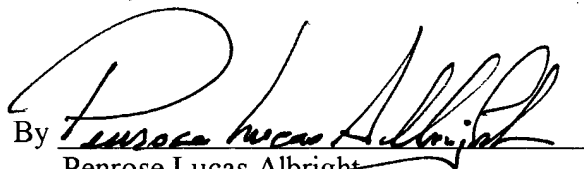
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Sir:

A small entity status is entitled to be asserted for the above-identified Application as defined in 37 CFR §1.27.

Respectfully submitted,

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